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Thursday noon.

Dear Aunt Mary

I was rejoiced to hear by Anne that the Grimkés had so successful a time, and that Oliver acquitted himself so well. We had an excellent time at Roxbury & the society got 20 new members. Caroline made her first debut on any stage, by reading the constitution of the society, after Angelina had finished. Dont you think I am smart? I walked out, & then as Hildreth was there and all the others were to ride I walked in. and the best of the

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matter is that I was not tired in the least. Sunday afternoon I went to Dr. Channings and heard Orville Dewey preach and read the Peace Notice. "The chairs Garrison of Boston will address the meeting and take part in the discussion." Coming out of the Church I passed Zebedee Cook and a knot of men holding a powwow Zebedee was saying. "It will be very easy to speak to the minister about this, it is of no use to talk this must be put a stop to." Hildreth said that Zebedee told him that this was a stratagem on the part of the Chairman to give an anti slavery notice under cover of a peace notice. If we possibly can get it in, the bona-fide anti slavery notice will be read next sunday, and we are going

to try to make Sam Sewall deliver it. A letter has been received from the Liverpool Female Society, to the N. England societies, signed by Ann Crosfield. This is all the anti slavery ~~matter~~ news. As for my gown, my free labour principles prevent me from getting me any cotton gowns, & I shall have to get along with what I have got. I should be very glad to exchange with you if I could, for I want a new blue gown. I never had one, so I want one. Louisa is not going to have any new gowns either, all hers are to be made of old ones. Write every chance and give much love to all.

yours very truly Debora Weston

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Has Charles
been over?
Emma any?
Ada Eve